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SUBJECT: PRE-LICENSE CHECK FOR WEAPONS IMPORTATION FROM  
NICARAGUAN COMPANY COSERVISA

REF: USDOC 1969

1. Econoff performed the requested pre-license check on Coservisa, which seeks to import Air Taser kits and accompanying products (application D355948). Nicaraguan National Police (NNP) and interagency name checks on the proprietor did not reveal any derogatory information. A visit to Coservisa confirmed that it is a legitimate multi-service business involved in enterprises including consumer goods, electronics and pharmaceuticals. Coservisa also runs an English-language religious school in Managua.

2. Coservisa managers stated that their plan is to import a small number of Tasers for resale to the NNP. They said that they do not yet have a contract because they want approval to import the product before formalizing their agreement with the NNP. The company also lacks a current weapons importation license from the NNP, which would be required under Nicaraguan law.  
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